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Sandra K. Richardson et al.

Application No.: 09/334,256

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Art Unit: 2155

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
PLANNING AND MONITORING MULTIPLE
TASKS BASED ON USER DEFINED
CRITERIA AND PREDICTIVE ABILITY

Examiner: J.H. Zurita

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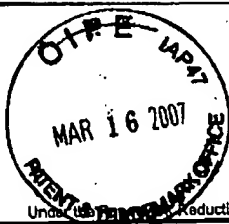
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		Filing Date	June 16, 1999
		First Named Inventor	Sandra K. Richardson
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Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
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Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

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Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
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Multiple dependent claims	360	180

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59	- 59 =	x	=	Fee (\$)
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09/334,256	06/16/1999	SANDRA RICHARDSON	M3653.0001/P	5134

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APPLN. TYPE	SMALL ENTITY	ISSUE FEE	PUBLICATION FEE	TOTAL FEE(S) DUE	DATE DUE
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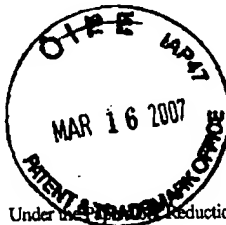
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